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GOVERNOR COX MAY HOLD SOLONS UNTIL AFTER NATIONAL CRISIS

Columbus, O., March 22.—(Associated Press Dispatch)—That Governor Cox was considering holding the Ohio Legislature in session next week, in view of the national crisis, was indicated today when the Governor called President Wilson by telephone to tell the Chief Executive of the Nation that the Ohio General Assembly was about to adjourn, and asking him if there was anything he desired it to do.

Governor Cox did not indicate what the President's reply was. Charles Morris, Secretary to the Governor, said that was for the President to give out, if he saw fit.

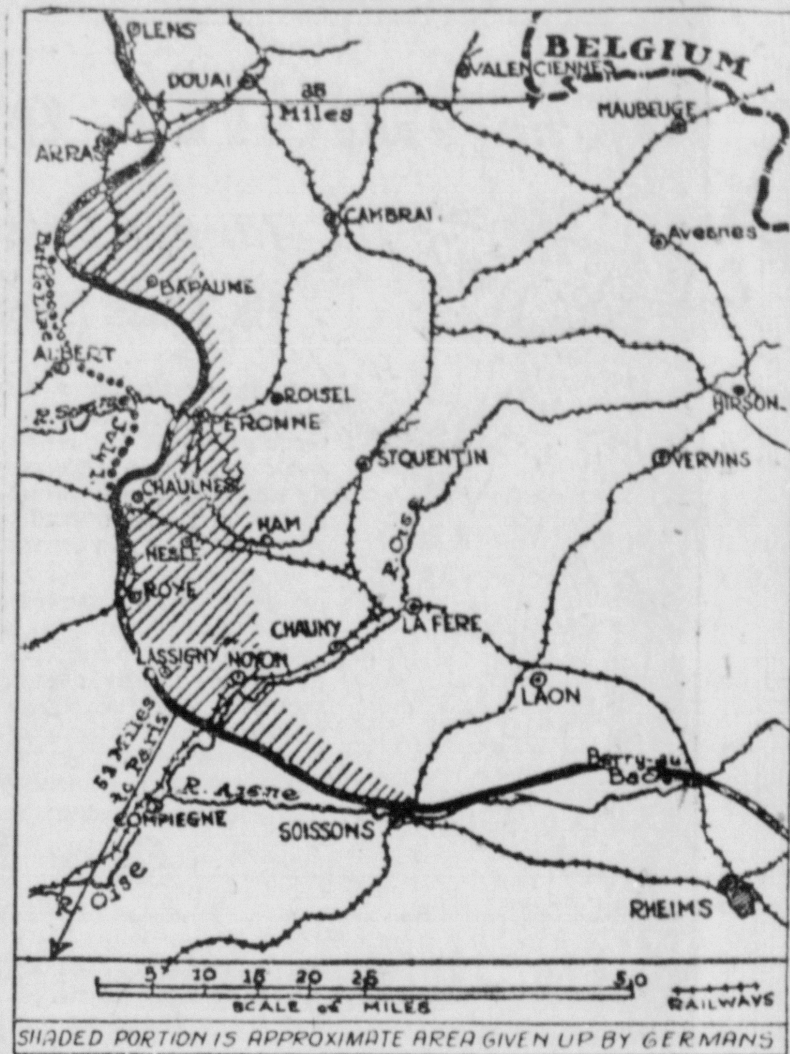
Governor Cox assured the President that Ohio stands ready to do anything that is necessary.

The House was expected today to pass the Shohl bill, for a military census of all men between the ages of 18 and 45 years.

When this bill comes up in the House, late today, an amendment is expected to be offered to include women in the census and make a survey of the number of women available for war service in Ohio.

The House today defeated the Kessler bill, to abolish county school examiners.

THE GERMAN WITHDRAWAL REMOVES THEIR "NEAREST TO PARIS" POINT



This map shows that the German retirement on the French front involves giving up the extreme point and western flank of the "elbow" of their position in France—the point where the German lines were nearest to Paris.

The shaded portion represents the approximate area so far surrendered in the retreat, the heavy solid line the battle front before it began, and the dotted line the battle front on July 1, 1916, the day the battle of the Somme began.

The military critic of the London News writes:

"At present it looks as though Hindenburg means to go back to the Douai-Cambrai-St. Quentin-Le Fere-Soissons line, keeping as wide a circle around Lille as he can till we force him to contract it, and clinging to the Aisne as long as the French will let him. This is only surmise, and developments in other parts of the front may interfere with the field marshal's plans, but he has got to fight somewhere, as he knows by this time and if he offers battle on the suggested lines he will do so without risk to his communications with Belgium when he is compelled again to retire."

GERMAN INFLUENCES BACK OF PLANS FOR OFFER OF MEDIATION

Such Is Belief of Officials Who Hear European Neutral May Offer Good Offices to Prevent Hostilities Between United States and Germany—No Mediation Possible Unless Sub Warfare Abandoned.

U. S. DOES NOT DESIRE HOSTILITIES BUT WILL PROTECT AMERICAN RIGHTS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, March 22.—Offers of mediation to prevent actual war between the United States and Germany are expected among the next developments in the submarine situation.

Administration officials heard today that a European neutral was contemplating such a plan, and they frankly regarded it as another effort backed by Germany to divide sentiment in Congress and embarrass the President.

It was declared authoritatively today that no proposals of mediation, or for discussion, would be considered unless Germany first abandoned the campaign of ruthlessness.

All Administration officials from the President down take the position that the United States never has, and does not now, desire war with Germany, but is being forced into it to protect lives and rights of its citizens against unlawful aggression.

Unless Germany is prepared to completely change her position, it was declared today, offers of mediation and discussion are useless.

Germany, it was recalled, never accepted former Secretary Bryan's proposal to sign one of his "peace investigation treaties," which would have bound the United States to inaction for a year while a commission investigated the situation.

Meanwhile, every preparation for any eventuality is being carried forward by the army and navy, and the President is awaiting the assembling of Congress.

Unless there is some great change in the situation before April 2, it is expected he will detail in his address how Germany has in fact been making war against the United States by the ruthless operation of her U-boats and leave it to Congress to declare a state of war existing, and vote money and men to protect the interests of the United States.

es, were dropped upon the city.

The victims, it is stated, were again only old men, women, and children.

The death list numbers twenty-five, while twenty-three persons are dying and ten others are suffering from less serious wounds. Fifty-nine houses were demolished.

The previous gas bombardment of Monastir occurred on March 17, when more than eighty civilians, a Serbian statement announced, were killed by the asphyxiating bombs and by ordinary shell fire.

OHIO IS READY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, March 22.—Governor Cox telephoned the White House today that Ohio is ready to do everything in its power to back up the National Administration in the present emergency.

The Legislature, Governor Cox predicted, will pass any measures deemed necessary.

NEW RULER OF ABYSSINIA

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, March 22.—Accession to the throne of Abyssinia by Empress Zauditu, succeeding Menelik II, was reported in a proclamation from Foreign Minister Cagnazmatch Balane lemer, dated Addis-Abbeba, January 12, which today reached the State Department.

The accession of the Empress is the final act of a long religious and court conflict in which a Mohammedan attempted to overthrow the world's oldest Christian country was defeated in a bitter revolution. Recognition of the new government is now before the State Department.

PRINCE LOST IN AIR RAID

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Berlin, March 22.—Wireless to Sayville, L. I.—Announcement is made that an aeroplane piloted by Prince Frederick Karl, a cousin of Emperor William, has not returned from a raid

TO INSIST UPON A DRY NATION

(Associated Press Dispatch)
Columbus, O., March 22.—"If war is declared, the resolution for national prohibition will be urged as a part of the preparedness program," said a statement issued today at the national headquarters here of the Anti-Saloon League by Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel.

"It is becoming clearer each day," said Mr. Wheeler, "that a nation cannot be a prepared nation unless it is a sober nation. It will not be a sober nation unless it is a saloonless nation."

over the lines between Arras and Peronne.

Prince Friedrich Karl and his brother, Prince Sigismund, sons of Prince Friedrich Leopold of Prussia, joined the German flying corps in January.

Prince Karl was 23 years old, two years the junior of his brother.

13500 MEN WANTED BY U. S. NAVY

Recruiting Goes Forward With Splendid Results—5454 Men Added Since Last Fall.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, March 22.—The Navy is short 13,514 men of its present authorized enlisted strength of 74,500, and efforts to speed up recruiting are being redoubled.

The present month has seen the largest recruitment on record, with a net increase of 1,947.

Since Congress authorized the 74,500 total in September, 55,454 men have been added to the navy personnel.

It was stated at the Department today that the authorized strength is sufficient to put all ships immediately available in commission, and no effort will be spared in bringing the force to that figure.

To induce recruiting, Congress provided that 100 enlisted men a year should be selected by examination for appointment to the Naval Academy.

Many officers say that a very high type of officer material is being secured in this fashion.

MEXICO CALLS SPECIAL SESSION

By Associated Press Dispatch.

El Paso, March 22.—A special session of the Mexican National Congress has been called by General Carranza for April 2, according to Carlos Plank, a deputy to the Congress from Sonora, who arrived here today on his way from Mexico City.

Manuel Prieto, a deputy from the Juarez district, is also arranging to go to the capital for the session. It was said here today.

ROAR OF HEAVY GUNS OPENS GREAT BATTLE ALONG WESTERN ZONE

French at Grips With Main German Army Before La Fere, May Be Opening of Greatest Battle Of All History—Teutons Make Stand Along Twenty-Mile Front.

BRITISH STILL PUSHING RETREATING GERMANS NOW BEFORE ST. QUENTIN

(By Associated Press Dispatch.)

French troops in contact with the main German army, and what may prove to be the initial stage of the greatest battle of history has opened before the gates of La Fere.

For the first time since the great German retreat began, patrol and rear guard fighting has given way to the thunder of artillery and the clash of major forces.

The Germans are making a stand on a line running south of La Fere from St. Simon to the Forest of Coucy, a distance of about twenty miles.

The situation on the British front is somewhat more obscure, owing to the rather vague character of the British official report.

The last report from London said that General Haig had pushed ten miles east of the Somme at some points.

Measured from Peronne, this would place the British within four or five miles from the vital point of St. Quentin, and this estimate is supported by official dispatches from the front.

The German retirement is pivoting from their positions east of Arras; and in this pivotal region, General Haig reports steady progress, but no localities are mentioned that might give a clue to the relative importance of the advance.

LOCAL MAN AMONG NEW APPOINTEES

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., March 22.—Governor Cox late today sent to the Senate for confirmation the following list of appointments:

State Highway Commissioner, A. R. Taylor, Democrat, of Findlay, to succeed Clinton Cowan, Cincinnati, Republican; Chas. F. Kettering, Dayton, member of the Board of Trustees of Ohio State University, to succeed Julius F. Stone, Columbus; Howard Washington, Republican, Columbus,

Bernie C. Brian, Democrat, Dayton, and Frank Allen, Republican, Washington C. H., to succeed A. S. Fraser, Sylvester Garver, and D. Q. Morrow, Republicans, as members of the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Soldiers & Sailors Orphans' Home at Xenia.

Governor Cox, in a message to the Senate, recalled all the appointments made by former Governor Willis and not yet confirmed.

He was expected to announce late today or tomorrow important appointments on boards and commissions.

HEAVY FINES

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, Mar. 22.—Albert O. Sander and Chas. N. Wunnenberg, who pleaded guilty yesterday to a charge of having sent spies to England from this country to gather information for the German military authorities, today were sentenced to serve two years in the Federal prison at Atlanta and to pay a fine of \$2,500 each.

PROMINENT LABOR LEADER OF RUSSIA DECLARES ALL FACTIONS UNITED FOR WAR

(Associated Press Cable.)

Petrograd, March 21, via London, March 22.—Speaking in the energetic and forceful manner which characterizes all his utterances, the new Minister of Justice, A. F. Kerensky, in an interview with the correspondent of the Associated Press, declared all rumors of friction or discord between the workmen, soldiers, and the new government.

M. Kerensky, who is a member of the radical workmen's party, emphatically denied that there was any latent dissatisfaction in his or any other party which might burst forth into a fresh revolt. He said:

"In my appointment to this post, you have the best pledge that the radical elements of the nation are in harmony with the Government. 'If any serious disagreement existed at the beginning between the workmen and the Duma committee it was only a passing symptom of fever attending the birth of a new nation.'"

The Minister said that all supposition that the soldiers and the workmen were opposed to carrying on the war was without basis.

"My visit to Moscow, from where I returned this morning," he continued, "satisfied me that the whole army, from the commander down to the last soldier, are eagerly devoted to a continuance of the war."

Answering a question regarding the final form of the new Government, Minister Kerensky said:

"I am a Republican, and think I know what kind of a government Rus-

sia wants; but as a member of the government, I will not try to bring any pressure upon the popular opinion, which will render the decision."

"The keynote of the new government will be tolerance toward all. The members of the old government who are under arrest will be given a fair trial."

"There will be no summary military procedure, no court martial, and I believe that I can promise you that capital punishment will be definitely abandoned in the near future."

SPAIN WILL INSURE VESSELS

(Associated Press Cable.)

Madrid, via London, British Admiralty per wireless Press—King Alfonso so on Friday will sign a decree for the insuring of the safety of Spanish maritime commerce.

The measure adopted will be in accordance with the procedure followed by other foreign countries.

GRAND DUKE CYRIL RESIGNS

(Associated Press Cable.)

London, March 22.—All the members of the former Russian dynasty have placed themselves at the disposal of the provisional government, according to a Reuters dispatch from Petrograd. Grand Duke Cyril has resigned his command of the Naval Guard.

BULGARIANS BOMBARDING OPEN TOWN

(Associated Press Cable.)

Corfu, Greece, March 22, via London.—A semi-official Serbian statement from Saloniki today declares that the Bulgarians, in order to avenge themselves because they were being forced by the pressure of the Allied army to retire gradually from Monastir, renewed on March 18 and 19 their bombardment of the open town of Monastir.

Six hundred additional shells, many of which contained asphyxiating gas,

Ohio Wesleyan Glee Club Concert

High School Auditorium, Tuesday March 27th. 8:15 P. M.

ADMISSION 25c. Plat Will Be Open Friday Evening at Junior Play.

WORKHOUSE FULL AND BROOM PLANT MUST BE CLOSED

The Xenia workhouse board has a serious problem with which to contend at the present time, and unless a satisfactory solution can be reached the workhouse may be closed and some other disposition made of the prisoners from this county, Clinton, Greene, Logan, Champaign, Clark, Miami, Ross and Warren counties.

On April 1st it will be necessary to close the broom plant in the workhouse, which has long given employment to virtually all prisoners, and some other occupation will be necessary, but the Board has not yet decided what work can be taken up which will not conflict with the break law preventing prison labor "competing" with that of the ordinary laborer.

One of the plans considered is working the prisoners on the county highways or other public work, but it is believed that should serious protest arise to this work, it would be abandoned.

As the Workhouse Board has contracts with all of the above counties, it must carry out its part of the contract even if the prisoners remain idle while in the institution.

Should some employment not be found the contracts will be cancelled at the earliest period possible, and the workhouse abandoned. However, the Board is still hopeful of solving the problem.

Mrs. Ralph Kah, of Sidney, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. White.

BAPTIST CHURCH

The new members of the Baptist church who have been received from the Tabernacle meetings are urged to be present tonight at the prayer and covenant meeting at 7:30 and especially on next Sunday morning, when the hand of fellowship and welcome will be given to all.

This will be a time of great interest and joy and the whole church will participate in the welcome.

There will be baptism at the close of the service tonight. On Sunday morning there will be communion services.

SNAKE IN BARREL FROM WHICH SICK PERSONS WERE FED

A sensational story comes from Pickaway county, from the home of the late Milton May, in whose family six deaths from typhoid fever have occurred in the last six weeks. Two other members of the family are seriously ill with the same disease, one of them not expected to live.

During their illness, it is said, the members of the May family have been fed on the brine from a barrel of sauerkraut, this being held beneficial in typhoid.

A telephone message, said to have come from the trained nurse in charge of the cases to friends in this county, said that on Tuesday a live snake was discovered in the sauerkraut barrel, that no one knew how it got there or how long it had been there. It is from this barrel that the brine was taken and given to the sick persons. The variety of the snake was not given.—Chillicothe News.

300 ENJOY RARE ORGAN RECITAL BY ENGLISH COMPOSER

It was a small but highly appreciative audience that greeted the great English Organist-composer, Gatty Sellars, at Grace church, Wednesday night, and heard the best organ recital ever given in the city. It was his second appearance in this city, and the numbers rendered at the Wednesday night recital, taken collectively, surpassed those of his previous recital. The use of the Cathedral Chimes, in charge of Miss Ruth Reid, added much to the enjoyment of the recital.

Mr. Sellars was very liberal with his encore numbers, and never before has a more appreciative audience assembled in the city.

Included in the fifteen or eighteen selections given by Mr. Sellars were a half score or more numbers of his own composition, and his arrangement and rendition of the "Poeme Symphonique" was among the selections receiving the greatest applause, because of its exceedingly difficult nature and its faultless rendition.

"The March of the Nations" was rendered as a descriptive number representing the approach, passing and gradual disappearance of a British Patrol being particularly appropriate and impressive. The arrangement by Mr. Sellars is based upon the melody "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

"March From Die Meistersinger," "The Storm," "Fancies," "Evensong," "Overture Fantastique," "The Angels," "Rosary," "At Sunset," were among the numbers of the evening.

Mr. Sellars came to this city from Upper Sandusky and went to Springfield.

DRUNKEN DRIVER DRAWS \$25 FINE

"Bees" Hinson, of Williamsport, arrested upon a charge of driving a motor vehicle while in a state of intoxication, was fined \$25 and the costs and given 30 days in the Circleville jail, this week, when he entered a plea of guilty to the charge.

Mayor Goeller made it plain that the offense was one which could not and would not be overlooked.

MRS. S. J. SOLLARS LOSES MOTHER

Mrs. Sarah J. Sollars has the deep sympathy of many friends in the death of her mother, Mrs. Winters, which occurred at Fincastle, Ohio, Sunday.

Mrs. Sollars was called to Fincastle some time ago and remained with her mother until the summons came.

The funeral services were held Tuesday.

EASTER GREETING CARDS
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OF COURSE, AN EXHIBIT OF THIS TYPE IS AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A SELECTION, AND WE ARE PLEASED TO BE ABLE TO PRESENT SUCH A SHOWING. THE READY RESPONSE OF THE LADIES OF THIS VICINITY IN COMING, SHOWS US THAT THEY HAVE BEEN THINKING OF SPRING CLOTHES, AND TO THOSE LADIES WHO HAVE NOT ALREADY SEEN THE SHOWING, WE EXTEND PARTICULAR INVITATION TO COME.

Come Tomorrow

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The Oriental Trend of Fashion is Strikingly Depicted in Millinery The Brilliant Color Combinations and Japanese Effects Shown in These New Spring Hats are Exclusive Ideas Well Executed

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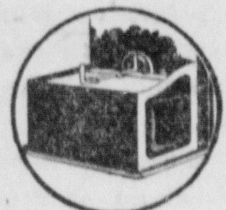
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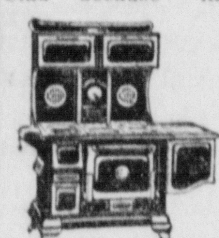


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Admission 10c.

COMING: 'The Big Question' Watch For It

A NUMBER RESPOND TO CALL MADE FOR SKILLED MECHANICS

Up until noon Thursday a number of skilled mechanics in this city had filed their names with secretary of the local Civil Service Commission as willing to take up work for the government in war preparations, and these names have been forwarded to the proper authorities for prompt action.

No names are given out by Mr. Allen, but he states that it is apparent that those responding are doing so as a patriotic act rather than for the compensation.

He bases this opinion upon the fact that some of those responding are holding splendid jobs of a responsible nature.

It is expected that many more skilled workmen in this city and county will enroll, particularly as the enrollment is not in the nature of an obligation, and the workmen may quit at any time.

Names of persons who cannot take up government work right away but may be able to do so if strong necessity develops, also are being enrolled.

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SHOOTING SCRAPE ON COLUMBUS AVE.

An investigation is being made of a shooting scrape which seems to have occurred on Columbus avenue one night this week, in which at least one man is alleged to have had a narrow escape from being killed.

The affair is expected to be sifted to the bottom within the next day or two, and arrests are expected accordingly.

TAKES JUDGMENT

In common pleas court, Wednesday Mary M. Schaw took judgment in the sum of \$541.59 on a cognovit note executed by Ernest Cockerill and Bess Cockerill. F. A. Chaffin represented the plaintiff in the action.

BIBLE CLASS
The Library District Community Bible Class will meet in the lecture room of the Baptist Church, Friday, March 23rd, 2:30 p. m.

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Spring Is Here

Wednesday—yesterday— was the first day of spring and this time we could be certain, it see us, that spring had at last arrived in these parts, by weather conditions.
It is not often on March 21st that we are made to realize that winter "has broke" and that spring has arrived, save by the calendar and the remark of some kind friend hurled at us through the March wind, "this is the first day of spring."
Yesterday it was different. We didn't need any calendar nor any reminder save the warm sunshine and showers and the songs of the spring birds. All nature was preparing for the coming season.
The shower clouds of Tuesday night and Wednesday rolled away shortly after noon and in the evening the sun sank in the west in a clear golden sky promising more of the same kind of weather.
It was good to be alive Wednesday. One could fairly see nature waking up from the long winter and every thing growing and getting ready for the work and the demands of the world.

Making Gardens

Judging from the activity of the house-holders in all the cities and towns of this section of the country there is going to be, during the next spring and summer, a tremendous increase in the production of vegetables hereabouts.
Almost every hour of sunshine now the home owners are busy clearing off and getting ready the ground which the family councils have allotted for garden purposes.
People—hundreds of them in every community—are going into the business of gardening this year in earnest.
It is no fad and no fancy with the people this year—the garden is no joking matter. It is regarded as a long neglected source of income which is to be gathered in and made to bear its portion of the burden of maintaining the family. Acres of good garden land in the backyards of thousands of homes will soon be turned under by spade or plow, prepared and planted and made to produce.
The most effective means yet devised to bring prices of garden "sass" down is to raise your own. When we have more producers we are certain to have fewer consumers and no combination on earth, no matter how strong, granting that there is a combination to keep prices up, can endure against such conditions.
Some few pessimists, disinclined to place their weight on the top of a spade are already complaining that so much gardening will produce lower prices. Well if it does and we have our gardens yielding fresh vegetables for the table we won't even be compelled to pay a low price so we win in any event.
In addition to that its a pleasure to raise your own garden truck. It's good exercise to work in the garden and makes the neglected spots so much more sightly.

Congress to Convene

President Wilson has issued the call for the Congress of the nation to assemble in extraordinary session on Monday the 2nd day of April.
Formally the call notifies the legislators and the people that it is for the purpose of receiving, from the president, a communication concerning grave crises which have arisen in our international relations.
In fact it is to take action looking to the safeguarding of American shipping and American commerce from the piratical attacks of the war mad Prussian military powers.
The time for debate, the time for quibbling about this, that or the other inconsequential technicality or theory, the time for lengthy discussion as to what should or should not be done, viewed solely from our own standpoint is passed. Events have transpired with appalling rapidity throughout the war mad world outside and produced a condition affecting the United States which is not of our own making and far from our own choosing.
The time has come for Congress to face conditions as they exist for it is conditions now that the nation is facing and must deal with. If the nation was facing only possibilities or even probabilities as it has for the past two years then Congress might delay and debate. That time has passed.
It is not necessary for Congress to declare war against Germany because the Kaiser's forces have waged war against the United States and that the nation is now in a state of war even the most optimistic will not question.
The legislative body has now only to enact such laws as will place the armed forces in such shape that they will constitute an effective weapon of defense under the direction of the chief executive who is the commander-in-chief of all the army and navy.
The people may trust President Wilson with such forces of defense as he asks Congress to place in his hands. His desire for peace has been conclusively demonstrated. There need be no fear and there is no fear that he will plunge recklessly into the conflict. This is no time to place any restrictions on the President's power.
Providence has placed a wise patriotic Christian man at the head of this nation and he may be safely trusted to meet all emergencies.

Poetry For Today

A NATIONAL PRAYER.
Our country, God, we offer Thee,
And plead her cause on bended knee;
Her might we know lies in Thy will
Whose voice the mighty waters still;
In meek humility we pray
God bless America today.
God bless her flag arrayed on high,
Its silken folds against the sky;
Her homes, her institutions dear,
From gun-crowned fort to House of Prayer;
Lord, hear her children when they say
God bless America today.
Look down from Heaven in Thy love
And shower Thy blessings from above
On snow-capped heights, and sunny vales,
Her wave-washed strands, and flow-
ery dales;
Throughout her land shed Freedom's ray,
God bless America today.
May she be just, at home, abroad,
And merciful as Thee, O God,
Grant that Thy word shall be her guide,
Let wisdom in her midst abide,
That all the world may with us say,
God bless America today.
Can fondest hearts do more than bleed?
Can lives yield more than noble deed?
Love, more than sacrifice present?
Or souls give but their good intent?
We lay these at Thy feet, and pray
God bless America today.
—Boston Transcript.

Weather Report

Washington, March 22. — Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia—Fair Thursday and Friday.
Tennessee and Kentucky — Fair Thursday; Friday fair east, increasing cloudiness west.
Indiana and Lower Michigan—Fair Thursday; Friday increasing cloudiness.
Illinois—Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday; not much change in temperature.

WEATHER FORECAST
Ohio—Fair.
Daily Calendar.
From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 6:14; moon rises, 5:23 a. m.; sun rises, 6:00.
CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.
Ending 7:00 p. m.
Highest temperature 56.
Lowest temperature 41.
Mean temperature 49.
Precipitation .39.
Barometer 30.11. Falling.

BAN IS PLACED ON ROLLER SKATING

The ban on roller skating is still in full force, and will not be tolerated on the sidewalks of the city, according to announcement from the Mayor's office Thursday afternoon.
It is the intention to first issue a warning if this does no good, take more effective steps to prohibit the practice, and the police have been instructed accordingly.

BARN SET ON FIRE BY BURNING REFUSE

Sparks said to have been from a pile of burning refuse in the yard of a neighbor caused a small fire in the Frank Mayer barn, South Main and Circle Avenue, about 1:45 Thursday afternoon, but the flames were extinguished by the fire department before serious damage resulted.
The Mayer pony was tied in that part of the barn damaged, but prompt action saved it from injury.

Our 5%

Certificates of Deposit Are The Safest and Most Desirable Investments—The Buckeye State Building and Loan Company, Rankin Building, 22 W. Gay St., Columbus, Ohio.

1. These certificates are secured by first mortgage on homes and farms worth over fifty million dollars. First mortgages on homes and farms are the safest of all mortgage loans. Assets \$13,200,000.00. Write or call for booklets.

THE POTATO BUG.



—Fitzpatrick in St. Louis Post Dispatch.

ASKS FOR DIVORCE CHARGES ABSENCE

Alleging that the defendant has been wilfully absent for a period of more than three years, Ella Arahood has filed suit in the common pleas court asking for divorce from Wm. Arahood, and custody of their minor children.
The couple were married January 20th, 1894, at Hamilton, Ohio. Rankin & Rankin represent the plaintiff in the action.

DISCUSS GOOD ROADS MEETING

No business of importance was taken up by the Dutch Treat club, Thursday noon. About one score of men were present.
Arrangements were made to help arouse the interest that should be manifested in the meeting Saturday afternoon.

GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

The women of the A. M. E. church gave a musical entertainment at the church, Tuesday night, in honor of Rev. Jas. M. Tate, whose efforts in the local field have met with much success, and who is greatly beloved by his congregation.
The entertainment was a thoroughly enjoyable affair in detail.

BENEFIT CONCERT

A Greydon-Jeffries Benefit Entertainment at the Sugar Creek Baptist church, on the Jamestown pike, Saturday evening, March 24th, at 7:30. The entire entertainment will be given by faculty of Stinson Conservatory, under direction of Mrs. Eldora Stinson. Admission 25 cents; children 10 cents.

BIBLE CLASS MEETING
The Millwood Bible Class meets with Mrs. Elmer Horney, Millwood Avenue, near Van Deman, Friday afternoon from 2 to 3.

\$50 Reward

for the arrest and conviction of the party who entered the front lot at slaughter house on the Robinson Road, and stole one black and white spotted Magee brood sow weighing about 350 pounds. Also liberal reward for recovery of the sow or information leading thereto.
J. W. ANDERSON.

Windstorm INSURANCE

See PINE
PHONE 5381

BRINGS ACTION FOR SUM OF \$474

Dora Anderson, represented by Maddox & Maddox, has entered suit in common pleas court asking judgment in the sum of \$474, which amount she claims is due, with interest, from Geo. A. Bailey and Annie M. Bailey, \$401 of the amount being borrowed money and \$73 being due on certain real estate.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

All members of Confidence Lodge team are requested to report at 7:30 for drill.

W. N. EYRE, Chm.
CLASSIFIED.
WANTED — Girl wanted at Bell Telephone office. Apply to Chief Operator. 69 16
FOR RENT—3 rooms in double house; gas and water; 418 Temple St. Hetteshelmer, Jeweler. 69 17
FOR RENT—A small house suitable for man and wife, cheap rent. C. L. Smith, Pearl and Campbell St. 69 16
FOR SALE—Good Holstein milk cow. Call Mrs. Jno. N. McCoy, Automatic 12695. 69 16
FOR RENT—A five room house; gas and water. Austin L. Sanders, Rawling street. 69 16
FOR RENT—House and 2 acres of ground near logtown. See Albert Brown. 69 16
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25 lbs. best cane granulated sugar still goes at \$2.20.
Fancy apples, aranges, bananas, grape fruit, new cabbage, pinach, onions, Dromedary dates, pickles, onions, catsup, sardines, tuna fish, prunes, apricots and fancy dried peaches, 4 pounds fancy rice for 25c, cream of rice best breakfast food. Get a bottle of Duffee's Cough Syrup, finest on earth for all coughs, colds and the gripple, contains no opiates or poisons; pleasant to take. Big 6-oz. bottle for 25c. Killo, kills all bad odors, bugs, moth, chicken lice, prevents gapes in young chickens, 15c and 25c per can. New phone 7771, Bell 77.
Yours,
J. W. DUFFE & CO.,
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers

Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE.

New York, March 22. — American Beet Sugar 92½; American Sugar Refining 112½; Baltimore & Ohio 78; Chesapeake & Ohio 54½; Illinois Central 103; Louisville & Nashville 126; New York Central 97½; Norfolk & Western 130½; Pennsylvania 54½; United States Steel 115½; United States Steel preferred 118; Western Union 97.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, March 22.—Hogs — Receipts 33000; market slow; 10c under yesterday's average; bulk \$14.85@15.05; light \$14.20@14.95; mixed \$14.50@15.05; heavy \$14.45@15.05; rough \$14.45@14.65; pigs \$10.60@14.00.
Cattle—receipts 7000; market weak native beefsteers \$9.25@12.75; stockers and feeders \$6.80@9.80; cows and heifers \$5.75@10.80; calves \$10.50@15.00.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 12000; market weak; wethers \$11.20@12.65; lambs \$12.75@15.15.

Pittsburg, March 22.—Hogs — Receipts 2000; market steady; heavies \$15.70@15.75; heavy yorkers \$15.60@15.75; light \$14.50@15.25; pigs \$13.90@14.00.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500; market steady; top sheep \$12.50; top lambs \$15.50.
Calves—Receipts 200; market steady; top \$15.50.

East Buffalo, March 22.—Cattle — Receipts 30; market steady.
Veal—Receipts 350; market active; quotation \$5.00@16.00.
Hogs—Receipts 1600; market active and steady; heavies and mixed \$16.00; yorkers \$15.75@16.00; light yorkers \$14.50@15.50; pigs \$12.75@14.25; roughs \$14.15@14.25; stags \$11.50@12.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000; market lambs higher; sheep slow; lambs \$12.00@14.65; yearling \$11.00@14.25; wethers \$12.00@12.50; ewes \$6.00@11.75; sheep mixed \$11.75@12.00.

Cincinnati, O., March 22.—Hogs — Receipts 4000; market slow; packers and butchers \$15.00@15.25; pigs and lights \$7.00@14.00; stags \$8.00@11.50.
Cattle—Receipts 800; market slow. Calves—Weak; \$6.00@13.50.
Sheep — Receipts none; market steady.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Chicago, March 22.—Wheat—May \$1.86¼; July \$1.57½.

Corn—May \$1.12½; July \$1.10¼.
Oats—May 58½; July 56½.
Pork—May \$34.30; July \$33.45.
Lard—May \$19.72; July \$19.75.
Ribs—May \$18.02; July \$18.12.
CLOVER SEED
Toledo, O., March 22.—Prime cash \$11.10; March \$10.95; April \$10.40.
ALSIKE
Prime cash \$11.50; March \$11.50.
TIMOTHY
Prime cash \$2.55; March \$2.55.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

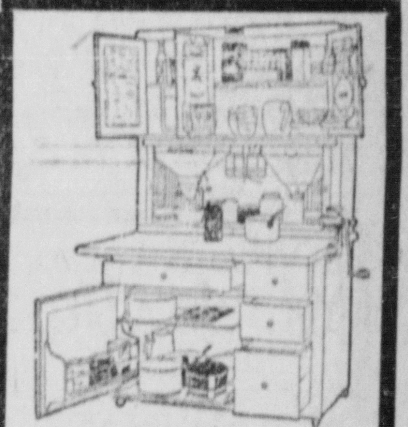
Wheat \$1.90
Corn \$1.12
Oats 67c
Butter 25c
Young Chickens 14c
Hens 14c
Eggs 23c
Butter 25c

CITY PROPERTIES SELL

Adah M. Shoop by heirs have sold their property on S. Fayette street to Mr. Chas. F. Minear for a home.
Also, Mr. Rush Hays has sold his handsome bungalow on Elm street to Mr. Delbert Hays, who will occupy it as a home April 1st.
The above sales were made through the agency of Mr. C. A. Cave.

In the Probate Court of Fayette County, Ohio.
The State of Ohio, Fayette County ss.

To whom it may concern:—
Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said Court:—
By Administrators of
1801 George W. Baker
1901 Robert Olinger
1927 Thomas Harper
1957 Urban W. Cannon
By Guardian of
1065 Charley Harper
All persons interested in said accounts or trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 26th day of April, 1917, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the Court may designate.
RELL G. ALLEN,
Probate Judge.
March 22, 1917.



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LAUGH AT EXPENSE OF "WEATHERMAN"

An amusing incident occurred during the Gatty Sellars organ recital at Grace church, Wednesday night, in the rendition of "The Storm" number. This wonderfully descriptive number is made so realistic by Mr. Sellars, when the "lightning" is properly displayed (by means of flashes of the electric lights in the darkened building) that one is almost convinced that the thunders are crashing, rain pouring in torrents and the wind blowing a gale.

Mr. Sellars had arranged with someone to administer the "lightning" at the proper time and in the proper doses.

The church was darkened and the organist started the peaceful scene leading up to the storm, and—the "lightning" flashed. It continued to flash, and when the organist left the organ to inform the "weatherman" that he was a little previous with the lightning, the glare continued even though not a note sounded.

The second attempt was little better, and at the third attempt Mr. Sellars was to signal by rubbing his nose with his handkerchief, in order to obtain "lightning." The "weatherman" was busy and Mr. Sellars rubbed his nose until it was sore before the signal was discovered and the lightning turned on full force.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Mrs. Daniel Sexton, of Yeoman street, assisted by her daughters Mrs. Clifford Foster and Mrs. Frank Blade, entertained with a delightful three course dinner in honor of Miss Danny Bailey and her eighteenth birthday.

Twenty-five guests were seated at tables prettily decked with pink and white carnations.

Mrs. Maude Coffman is announcing the marriage of her daughter, Geraldine to Mr. Felix W. Bernhardt, of New York.

The announcement will elicit much interest, especially in younger society circles, where the bride has been admired for her charm of manner and grace, no less than for her piquant blonde beauty.

Miss Coffman graduated from the Castle School of Dancing in New York and last winter completed her education at the Thomas Training School in Detroit, Mich. This winter she has spent in New York, where her mother joined her for several months.

Miss Coffman recently entered upon an engagement with Miss Gertrude Hoffman, with whom she will continue until the end of the season probably early in June. At the expiration of this engagement Mr. and Mrs. Bernhardt expect to visit at the home of the bride and Washington friends will then have the opportunity of personally extending good wishes.

The Young Matron's Bridge Club and the Wednesday Club were merged in a most delightful session with Mrs. H. B. Maynard Thursday afternoon.

After a game of duplicate Bridge the hostess served a delicious collation.

Mrs. J. R. White delightfully entertained at her beautiful country home on the Lyndon pike Wednesday evening in honor of her son, William.

Quite a number of guests found the evening of utmost pleasure and entered gayly into a contest in which Miss Marie Schriener and Robert Ervin fortunately claimed the prize, the "booby" going to Miss Mary Stuckey and Hamilton Rogers.

Late in the evening Mrs. White served a delicious two course lunch, into which the color scheme of the shamrock green was prettily introduced.

Mrs. White was assisted in the hospitalities by Miss Lucy McElwain and Oliver Wood of Good Hope.

The attractive home of Mrs. Charles Briggs, on North Hinde street, was hospitably thrown open Wednesday afternoon to the March meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church. Entertaining with Mrs. Briggs were Mesdames Blakely, Gage, Young, Allen, Brady, Rodgers, McClure, Sutherland, Cutting, Worrell, Howell, J. L. Rothrock, Barney, Ellis, Chas. Persinger, Kingsbury and Clements.

Mrs. W. B. Gage had charge of the meeting. Secretaries and Treasurer's reports were fully given; and arrangements for the Presbyterian meeting 19th and 20th of April were discussed, committees appointed and delegates elected. The chairman of entertaining committee asked all who could entertain for the Presbyterian, to report to Miss Emma Jackson.

The topics for the meeting were "Newest Americans" and "Japan." Mrs. Mintern was leader for the program hour. Mrs. Woodward read a letter just received from the Presbyterian Missionary in South America, Mrs. Maggie Candor; a letter full of interest telling of a very busy life. Mrs. Williams treated of "The Meaning of Americanism" making points that showed clearly the real missionary work yet to be done in America. Mrs. Barney and sister Mrs. Roy Parrett gave a beautiful vocal duet, "It Pays to Serve Jesus Each Day."

Mrs. Evangelie Benedict, a guest and friend of Mrs. Regina Staubs, contributed to the program in a bright and interesting talk. Mrs. Benedict spent two years in Japan as Secretary for her brother, a missionary in Kyoto. She took in the Japanese life very fully and her account of the people and how much is being accomplished in that country among the older folk and also in the kindergarten work for Japanese children gave large, information. She had with her Japanese articles, very lovely specimens, kimonos, scarfs, embroideries and laces, Japanese paintings on velvet, painted leather card cases. These she hopes to sell for the benefit of a Japanese kindergarten in Kyoto. Mrs. Staubs read a letter a young Japanese student had written to Mrs. Benedict hoping for his own advancement through her influence.

Mrs. Thoroman read a tender leaflet on "Service for God," closing the program. A social time was full of pleasure and refreshments were served.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Mary Theobald spent Thursday with friends in Sabina. Sherman Brownell spent Thursday in Cincinnati.

Mr. L. A. McCoy was a business visitor in Columbus Thursday.

Mr. J. F. Adams was a business visitor in Xenia Thursday.

Mrs. Miller Mintern went to Greenfield Thursday for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Cowen.

Miss Ruth Brownell returned from the O. W. U. Wednesday afternoon to spend the Spring vacation.

Mr. Henry Brownell and son, Sherman visited in Wilmington Wednesday.

Mrs. A. L. Walton went to Dayton today for a two days' visit with friends.

Mr. Wm. Mayer of Utica is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Phillips and son, Mr. Frank Mayer and family.

Mr. J. M. Baker and Mr. Gilbert Adams have returned from a business trip to Mobile, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Orme Brown were visitors in Dayton this week to see "The Birth of a Nation."

The Sunnyside Bible Class will meet Friday, March 23, at 7:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Harry Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lewis were business visitors from Sabina Thursday.

Miss Helen Glascock returned Wednesday night from a visit with Mrs. Robert Schenck in Dayton.

Miss Elizabeth Sheen was among Washington guests in Columbus to see David Warfield in "The Music Master."

Miss Doris McFadden, Jane Saxton, Helen Dill and Pauline Morris are among O. W. U. students home for the spring vacation.

Mrs. Lewis Parrett and daughter Mary Bell from near Good Hope were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sollars of Ogde Street Thursday.

Miss Florence Ustick was called to Cincinnati by the illness of her sister, Miss Anna Louise Ustick, Thursday.

Mr. Newton Judy and family are moving this week from Roxabell and are now located on East Market street.

Rev. Harry Hadley of Zanesville visited his parents Hon and Mrs. H. L. Hadley Thursday enroute to Lancaster to conduct the Lenten services.

Mr. V. J. Dahl returned Wednesday afternoon from Columbus, bringing home Mrs. Dahl, much improved after a month of special treatment at Mt. Carmel hospital.

Mrs. Eldora Stinson was the guest of Mrs. Edith May Miller in Columbus Wednesday night to attend the piano concert given by Mrs. Grace Hamilton Morey at the Hartman.

Mrs. John L. Dalbey started for Asheville, Wednesday afternoon, where she will spend some time with Mrs. W. R. Dalbey and sister, Mrs. Jane Blanchard Leist.

Mr. Harry Nolan left Thursday morning for New York where he joins The Barnum & Bailey Circus, which opens its 1917 season with a month's performance in New York.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Joseph N. Willson is recovering from a severe fall which threatened serious results. She has been confined to her home since it happened Sunday.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Fred A. Wyman (Anna Connor) of Clyde Park, Mont., who has been critically ill the past ten days at the Livingston, Mont., hospital is improving slowly.

Miss Gretchen Willis arrives from Walnut Lane School Germantown, Philadelphia, Thursday evening to spend the Spring vacation with her parents Hon and Mrs. J. M. Willis. Mrs. Willis went to Columbus to meet her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Blakemore returned Wednesday from Florida where they have spent the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Blakemore left St. Petersburg, Monday night stopping over in Jacksonville for a day enroute home.

The frost and cold weather of the past winter have been very disastrous to crops but what the crop raisers have lost has been balanced by the profits from the tremendous tourist travel which the state has experienced. More than one million tourists have been in Florida all winter and Mr. Blakemore says that it is conservative to estimate their ex-

penses at \$3.00 per day or a total of three million dollars a day for several months—all cash—will leave a great deal of money in the state.

"BOMB" PROVED TO BE CAN AND STRING

The story is being told of a little incident which occurred on one of the streets of the city Wednesday, in which the fear of German bombs is said to have taken part.

A man who had left his vehicle standing on the street for a moment, upon his return noticed a suspicious object under the vehicle. The object very much resembled a bomb, and the owner of the vehicle is said to have walked entirely around the vehicle gazing at the bomb before discovering that some boys had dropped a tin can with a string attached to it.

BIG SEAT SALE FOR JUNIOR PLAY

The first dress rehearsal for the Junior Play, "All on Account of Polly," passed off well Wednesday night and augurs well for the success of the highly amusing comedy.

Seats are selling fast and it is a foregone conclusion that every seat in the house will be taken Friday night.

FALLS TO SIDEWALK SUSTAINS INJURIES

White standing on the sidewalk watching workmen on the new Dahl-Campbell building, about noon Thursday, W. R. Flyley, residing on East Court street sustained an ugly gash across the head when he fell to the sidewalk in a fainting condition. He was removed to his home and given medical attention.

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Cranberry Special for Friday and Saturday

10 cents per quart. 3 quarts for 25 cents.

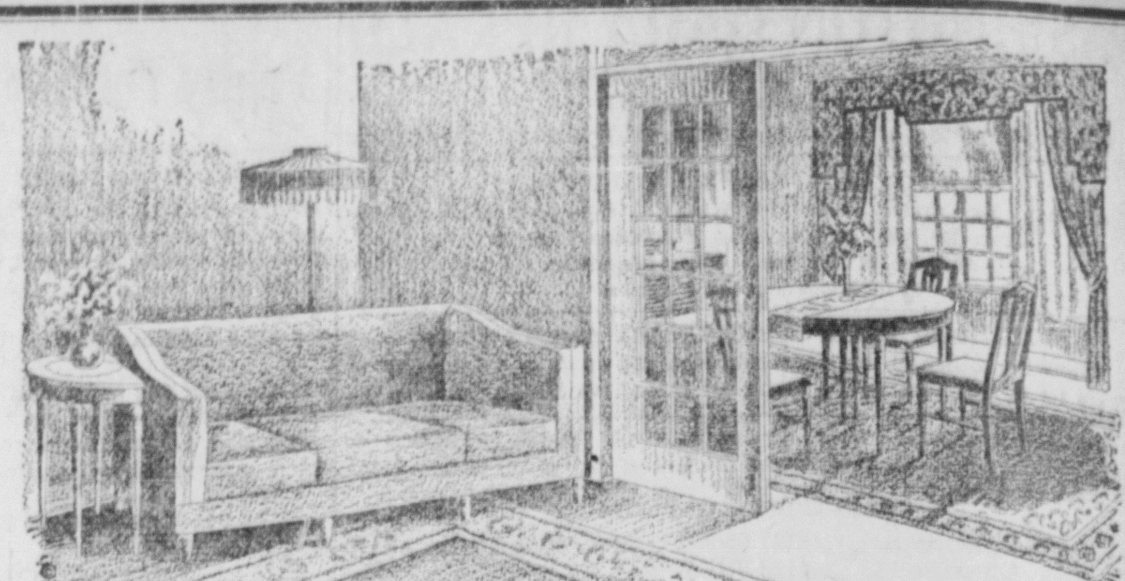
Fancy Sweet Potatoes 10c pound
Sweet Potatoes 8c lb., 2 lb. for 15c
Sunkist Naval Oranges 30c, 35c, 40c per doz
Atwood Grape Fruit, thin rine and juicy--Large size 3 for 25c; Medium size 8c, 2 for 15c; Small size 6c each.

FRESH SASSAFRAS direct from Ross Co, 5c lb.
HERRING—in five-pound kits—price 75c

Radishes, bunch 5c
Parsnips, lb. 5c
Carrots, lb. 8c
Turnips, lb. 8c
Cabbage, new, lb. 12 1/2c
Rhubarb, bunch 8c
Shallots, bunch 8c

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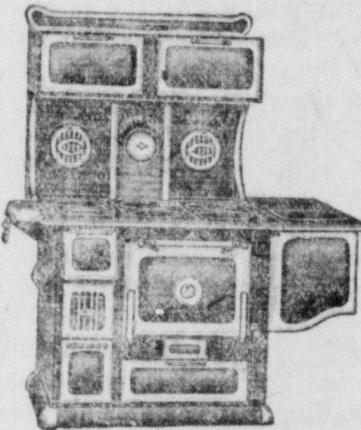
March 23 and 29

HYER MILLINERY

Announcement—

The Fayette Bakery, 117 North Fayette St., will open for business Monday, March 26, with a full line of home baked goods fresh every day. Call on us for anything in the home baked line

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Did you ever have to apologize for your cooking? Is your range a perfect piece of machinery—does it do the same thing the same way every day?

With good machinery, work becomes a pleasure, because we turn out a class of work that we are proud of. With poor machinery, it is fuss, fret and discouragement.

Surely a woman is entitled to good machinery in the kitchen. The food prepared there is not for horses, nor cows, nor hogs. It is for human beings. Of all the manufacturers in the land she manufactures the most important thing—food for you and me. Then give her the best machinery, the best range, a range that cleans easily, that lasts long, that performs perfectly—a Copper-Clad range. Do this and she will be Range Happy.

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EXPERT TALKS ON BENEFITS OF HOSPITAL

District Tubercular Hospital at Chillicothe to Be of Great Benefit to This and All Other Counties in District.

As the District Tuberculosis Hospital at Chillicothe nears completion and the time when it can be placed in actual use approaches, interest in the institution increases, and relief from the dread diseases is promised insofar as possible.

Dr. G. E. Robbins, one of the leaders in the fight against the "White Plague" recently discussed the benefits to be derived from the District Hospital to handle the disease, and some of the points he advanced are given below.

Tuberculosis is a preventable disease, and communities are awakening to the necessity of fighting it systematically, since it is felt that the communities themselves are responsible for the spread of the disease.

Approximately 7,000 die annually in the state of Ohio; that is, a city half the size of Chillicothe is wiped out each year. Ross county contributes her share to this number and so do the other counties in the district.

Without the hospital to segregate those ill with tuberculosis, there remains the chance for the spread of the disease.

In such cases it has been found that the spread of infection is;

79 per cent of the individuals fully exposed for a long period of time to open cases become infected.

8 per cent become infected from casual exposure, such as everyone encounters.

To control the spread of tuberculosis, the community must protect itself from infection in its midst. The district hospital is the powerful factor necessary to solve this problem. Its value to the community is three-fold.

1st. It returns the early cases to working capacity.

2nd: It is the educational center by means of which helpful knowledge in the anti-tuberculosis campaign is imparted to the community.

3rd: By segregation, it removes from the community active foci of infection.

Where there is no hospital near by the patient remains at home, often instructed—his slender stock of savings is soon exhausted—he becomes progressively worse—his family friends are exposed to infection, and he and his dependents become charges of the community—all of which might have been avoided in many cases by early removal to a local sanatorium or hospital.

Detailed reasons for a district hospital are:

1st: It restores the early cases to working capacity. Statistics throughout the country show that sanatoria are succeeding in returning to wage-earning capacity from 75 per cent to 85 per cent of their early cases. They provide constant medical supervision, discipline, education; and such regime as the patient cannot secure elsewhere. The local hospitals which give the best results are those which combine a sanatorium department for advanced cases.

2nd: The hospital is the educational center by means of which helpful knowledge in the anti-tuberculosis campaign is imparted to the community.

DRY WEATHER STARTS DUST ON THE STREETS

The bright weather and the Tuesday caused the surfaces of the paved streets to become thoroughly dry with the result that each passing vehicle and each gust of wind whirled the unwholesome dust in all directions, to the general discomfort of all.

The rain of Tuesday night put an end to the disagreeable condition until a few hours sunlight again dried off the streets.

Some 29 days must yet elapse before the emergency legislation passed by council can be placed into effect.

SPLENDID WORK BY LOCAL MAN

It is gratifying to friends in this locality to learn of the success which is following Mr. Herman Morris in the South, where he is representing the Inter-State Vaccine Co., as expert in a larger territory.

The Starke Florida newspaper contains a statement of a vaccination

campaign put on by the Bank of Starke. It says in part:

"During the four weeks ending last Monday the company's expert treated for 72 farmers with a total of 1,314 hogs.

Out of all this number we have not heard of a single case where the hogs have not done well. The campaign has resulted very satisfactorily. The Bank of Starke is more convinced than ever that the vaccination of their hogs is one of the most important matters claiming the attention of farmers."

COCONUT STRAWS TO SERVE WITH SALAD

One-half cupful of Baker's Fresh Grated Coconut; 1 cupful of flour; 2 level teaspoonfuls of baking powder; 1 level tablespoonful of shortening; 2 tablespoonfuls of coco-nut milk.

Sift flour, baking powder, and pinch of salt into bowl; add shortening and rub in very lightly; add enough coco-nut milk to make a dough that can be rolled out as thin as pie crust (1-8 inch thick); brush with cold milk; sprinkle with coconut that has been pressed dry in wire strainer. Roll or press so the coconut will stick. Cut into strips five inches long and quarter inch wide. Place on bake sheet; dust with salt and put in hot oven five to eight minutes. They must be a light brown. When serving pile on plate log cabin style. These are exceptionally nice with salad.

P. S.—The extra one-half cupful of coconut is used in loaf cake.

—Anna B. Scott.

REALTY TRANSFERS

Eunice E. Compton to Sherman Yerlan, 39 acres, Wayne township; \$118.80.

Sherman Yerlan et al to Samuel Rook, 6.521 acres, Wayne township; \$1.

Edward Pfeiffer by Admr. to Glenn W. Todd, 238 acres, Union and Paint townships; \$35,000.

Maude H. Coffman to Persie C. Harlow, 98 acres, Union township; \$1.

Rocelia A. Jones to Bert Garringer, 2 acres, Wayne township; \$1.

Edward E. Cockerill to W. L. Porter, 70.52 acres, Perry township; \$1.

Winna Shoop Marth et al to Daisey M. Mjnear et al, 2475 square feet etc, Washington C. H.; \$1900.

Mary P. Backenstoe to William M. Campbell, in lot No. 51, Washington C. H.; \$1.

Frank Coe and wife to James Cook, 9.36 acres, Jefferson township; \$1200.

Robert Howat et al to Elmer Cockerill, 22.75 acres, Union township; \$1.

Drusilla Sholey by Admr. to Bliss L. Sholey, 69.84 acres, Jefferson township; \$10476.

GREENFIELDE GETS EXPENSIVE CHICKEN

\$12.50 and 20 days in the Greenfield jail is the amount of the punishment handed Gerald Seward, well known character of that city, for stealing a chicken a few nights ago, and as Seward reposes in the Greenfield jail he is endeavoring to figure out just what the chicken really cost him.

ATTENTION COMRADES

Regular meeting of John M. Bell Post No. 119, Department of Ohio G. A. R., Saturday, March 24th, at two o'clock p. m. All members requested and expected to be present at this meeting.

By order of JOHN W. KNEDLER, P. C. JAMES M. NEWLAND, Adjt.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Ladies—Olivia Bailey; Mrs. Lena Cox; Mrs. Chas. Hammond; Mrs. Guy E. Magruder; Mrs. John Scott; Mrs. Louise Sunderland; Mrs. Lena Taylor.

Gentlemen—N. J. Carn; Orlan Clark; Robt. Campbell; Geo. B. Ellis Forrest Hand; B. Hawley; Chas. Junk; Rev. J. Kerr; Donnel Morris; Chas. Turner; Grant Wolfce.

In order to obtain any of the above ask for advertised letters.

S. A. MURRY, P. M. March 20, 1917.

F. O. E.

Special meeting of Fayette Aerie No. 423, Thursday evening, March 22, 1917 to make arrangements for funeral of Brother Ernest L. Gault.

J. F. COMBE, W. P. W. T. BAY, Sec'y.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday at 2:30 o'clock in the Welfare Room. An offering will be taken for the Women's Ohio Dry Campaign Fund. Important plans to be made for the campaign. Every member urged to be present.

SECRETARY.

IS HELD TO GRAND JURY WITHOUT BOND

Constable "Rabbit" Smith, charged with forging two checks, one for \$6 and the other for \$8, upon Tom Blair, is now confined in the county jail awaiting action of the grand jury upon two charges of forging checks, and the affair looks serious for the accused man.

Smith entered a plea of not guilty in each instance, and waived examination. He announced that he could not provide bond, and was allowed to remain in jail accordingly.

Wednesday afternoon he is said to have declared that \$14 was not much, and that he thought a couple of friends of his, including the man upon whom the checks were drawn, would adjust the matter.

At both restaurants where the checks were passed the parties who cashed the checks declare they were presented in person by Smith.

MEMOIR.

Frederick Boots, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Boots, of this city, was born near Frankfort, Ohio, January 4, 1884. Most of his life was spent in Washington C. H., having worked at the Chair Factory, later he was employed in insurance for the Metropolitan and the Western and Southern. He was also employed by The Parish Co., for about three years.

For the last eight years of his life he has suffered from chronic articular rheumatism of the severest type. In the past year he has been almost blind due to rheumatism.

During all of his sickness he was always cheerful and hopeful, being a good conversationalist. He always met you with a happy greeting and often a joke or query.

Being well informed on most subjects he discussed freely the world problems, showing his life was far beyond his environments.

For the past five or six years he has made his home with his father and mother.

His death occurring March 19, 1917 was due to scarlet fever.

He leaves a wife and two children, son Guy Meredith, 9 years, and little daughter Alice Louise, 4 years old; a loving father and mother, one sister and two brothers.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Boots wish to express their thanks for the many kindnesses shown during their bereavements.

HARTMAN THEATER (COLUMBUS)

"Very Good Eddie," the Elizabeth Marbury, F. Ray Comstock production coming from its phenomenal run of over a year at the Princess Theater, New York City, will be the attraction at the Hartman Theater, Columbus, the entire week of March 26th, with matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

No musical comedy of the past ten years has been given more praise than this work of Bartholomae, Bolton, Kern and Greene, and its tuneful melodies, "Old Boy Neutral," "When You Wear a Thirteen Collar," "Isn't It Great to be Married," "Some Sort of Somebody," "Nodding Roses," "I Wish I Had a Million," "Wedding Bells are Calling," "Babes in the Woods," and "If I Find a Girl," will linger long after this laughable farce has departed. The cast includes Ada Lewis, Arthur Aylesworth, Helen Raymond, George Mack, James Lounsberry, Earl Baham, Helen Sylvia, Mignor McGibney, Anna Orr, Elliott Taylor, Daisy Dewitt and others, and there is a typical beauty chorus of dainty maids who wear just the most beautiful selection of gowns that have come from a Parisian modiste in many a day.

Aside from its jingly jolly tunes, its pretty girls, there is a plot of unusual interest in "Very Good Eddie"—a plot that will keep you interested in its unraveling and delight you all ways. Briefly it tells of two young married couples who start on their honeymoon on a Hudson river boat. Some difficulty arises about the luggage and one of the husbands and one of the wives go ashore to straighten matters out. The boat then pulls away from the dock, separating the newlyweds. The couple remaining aboard the boat are forced to spend the night at a little inn under embarrassing circumstances. Of course, they are obliged to register as bride and groom, and many of the most laughable complications arise.

But though the most unusual situations occur, the story remains wholesomely comic throughout, never bordering on vulgarity.

Mail orders for this engagement will be accepted now.

Read the Classified Columns.

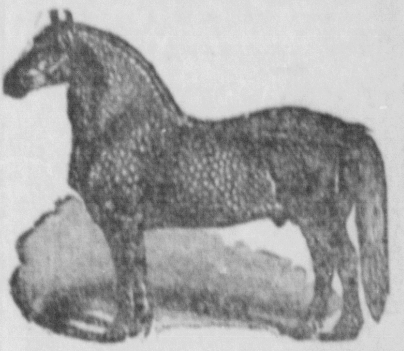
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Quite a few of these mares are in foal and are splendid farm mares.

Don't forget that we will have horses that will suit both the young and the old. We will also sell, if not sold before day of sale, one New Overland Touring Car. Can be seen at Powell's Garage.

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I have employed Mr. Dave Miller, of the Bachert Garage, as one of my drivers, and with his experience and courteous treatment will insure to the public satisfaction.

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FINE PERCHERONS AT FANCY PRICES

Cary Short this week sold four Percheron mares and one Percheron stallion colt, all registered stock to Frank Fox and H. C. Knobe, of Indianapolis, Indiana.

The five horses are among the finest of their kind that have ever been sold in this part of Ohio. Mr. Fox is a millionaire land owner in Indiana owning forty-three thousand acres of land in that state. The horses sold for \$3500.

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PHONE 5381

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Saturday, March 24, '17

We have purchased the Ballard-Ford **HARDWARE STOCK** and will proceed at once to close out the entire stock

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There's a wonderful difference between getting rid of a corn now and the way they used to get rid of it. It's the only corn remedy history. It's the only corn remedy



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Sold in Washington C. H., and recommended as the worlds best corn remedy by Brown's Drug Store and Blackmer & Tanquary's Drug

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SAFETY RAZOR BLADES sharpened by Motor Machine. Old blades sharpened perfectly. Prices 25, 35 and 40c per dozen. Terms cash. George E. Dunn, Sabina, Ohio. 64 t12

WANTED—Girls in the packing room at the Hagerty Shoe Factory

WANTED—Engineer at the ice factory. 67tf

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SESSION NEXT YEAR ALMOST A CERTAINTY

Some of the Problems to Be Taken Up at Extra Session—Legislative Notes.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., March 22.—With the adjournment of the Eighty-Second General Assembly there was said to be little doubt but what Governor Cox would call the assembly back for special session early next year, although no official announcement to this effect has as yet been made by the state's chief executive.

The governor has intimated, however, to members and others that there would be a special session next year and as a further evidence of the fact, a number of investigating committees already appointed are to report at the end of this year.

Among the subjects to be taken up at the special session will be the revision and classification of the election laws, legislation strengthening the corrupt practices act based upon a report of a legislative committee which is to investigate expenses of the last general election and report recommendations for correcting present laws.

The tax listing law, passed by the present general assembly, as well as the act providing for relief of cities are regarded as mere makeshifts and only temporary and Governor Cox has intimated that he may call the legislature back to take up the taxation problem.

A special session would be limited to action upon measures specified in the call of the governor.

Republicans in the general assembly while supporting the administration bill to provide for an investigation of election laws and expenses last fall charged today that the effectiveness of the probe would be destroyed because of the partisan nature of the method of appointing the committee. They wanted bi-partisan committees. Democrats, on the other hand, declared that a bi-partisan committee would result in a deadlock. To overcome this, Republican Floor Leader Frank Rienghard, of the house, offered to consent to the appointment of an umpire. The investigating committee will have \$10,000 at its disposal with which to make the investigation. It will have the right to employ legal counsel to guide its work. The committee has not yet been appointed.

The chief objection of the Ohio Automobile Clubs to the Stokes bill introduced in the legislature as an administration measure to suspend or revoke licenses of automobile owners if the person running the machine violates traffic laws, is that it makes owners responsible for the acts of their chauffeurs. If chauffeurs should be driving a car while intoxicated or fail to stop when signalled, the owner of the vehicle might be deprived of the use of his car.

Fred Caley, head of the Ohio Automobile Association, pointed out that there are already laws on the statute books which provide for the punishment of persons operating automobiles when intoxicated and for other violations of driving laws. The proposed bill is said to be one of the most drastic ever advanced in the state. It has the backing of Governor Cox and was approved by expert legal authorities.

Every high school in Ohio is to get

AMBASSADOR'S DEATH PUTS WHEELER AT HEAD OF EMBASSY IN TOKYO



POST WHEELER

Post Wheeler, secretary of the American embassy in Tokyo, is now in charge of American interests in Japan and will direct them until a new ambassador, appointed to succeed the late George W. Guthrie, takes charge. Mr. Wheeler is well known as a literary man and is the husband of Hallie Erminie Rives, novelist, but he has also won recognition as an explorer in arctic regions and as a diplomat. He has served at Petrograd and Rome as well as in Tokyo. Mr. Wheeler is in his forty-eighth year.

A copy of the legislative annals of Ohio to be printed this year according to a resolution just adopted by the general assembly.

JAP. WOMAN TO PREACH IN AMERICA

(Associated Press Cable.)

Tokio, March 22.—Miss Toshiko Sakamaki, a young Japanese woman, is leaving for the United States to preach Shintoism, the great Japanese religion of ancestor worship. She will settle in Los Angeles, and while her initial efforts will be to revive Shintoism among the Japanese in California she will strive generally to convert Americans.

She explains her mission as that of endeavoring to counteract the tendency of young Japanese women to neglect the "beautiful manners and customs of old Japanese civilization." She is the first Japanese woman Shinto missionary to visit America. Many times sought in marriage she has always declined, declaring herself wedded to her cause.

HUNGER RIOTS IN SIBERIA

(Associated Press Cable.)

Tokio, March 22.—Owing to the scarcity of labor, an increasing difficulty is felt in Western Siberia in obtaining food and hunger riots are taking place in different sections, according to a special dispatch to the Jiji from Harbin. The correspondent asserts that a rather serious riot occurred at Irkutsk in which women played the leading part. Stores, warehouses, and government offices were looted until the troops restored order.

Another riot is said to have occurred at Chita where the services of the military forces were requisitioned. Much anxiety was felt by the authorities as 40,000 war prisoners are quartered in the town.

THERE CAN ONLY BE ONE "BEST"

AND WHEN YOU ARE TOLD THAT "THIS" IS JUST AS GOOD AS "THAT," is it virtually admitting that "that" is the "BEST." Don't forget this in your dealings.

LARRIMER LAUNDRY ON EITHER PHONE.

HOME GARDEN SUGGESTIONS

CORN AND TOMATOES.

Sweet corn, to be at its best, should be eaten within a few hours after it is picked, for its sugar content disappears very rapidly after it is removed from the garden. For this reason and because of its very general popularity, it is an excellent vegetable to grow in the home garden. It should be planted on rich land and cultivated in the same manner as field corn. Beginning as soon as the soil is warm, successive plantings may be made every 2 or 3 weeks until late summer. Another method of prolonging the supply is to plant early medium and late varieties. The seed should be planted about 2 inches deep, in drills 3 feet apart, and thinned to a single stalk every 10 to 14 inches. Sweet corn should be planted on rich land. The cultivation should be frequent and thorough, and all weeds should be kept down and suckers removed from around the base of the plant.

Another favorite vegetable is the tomato, which now forms one of the most important of our garden crops. In the North, it is very desirable to start the plants in a house or a hotbed, and to transplant them once or twice in order to secure strong and vigorous plants by the time all danger from frost is past. Pot-grown plants are especially desirable and they may be brought to the blooming period by the time it is warm enough to plant them with safety in the garden. If the plants are not to be trained but allowed to lie on the ground, they should be set about 4 feet apart each way. If trained and tied to stakes they may be planted in rows 3 feet apart and 18 inches apart in the row.

In common with all plants grown in a house, hotbed, or cold frame, tomatoes require to be hardened off before planting in the garden. By this process the plants are gradually acclimated to the effects of the sun and wind, so that they will stand transplanting to the open ground. Hardening off is usually accomplished by ventilating freely and by reducing the amount of water applied to the plant bed. The bed, however, should not become so dry that the plants will wilt or become seriously checked in their growth. After a few days it will be possible to leave the plants uncovered during the entire day and on mild nights.

COLUMBUS TO HAVE MODERN SPEEDWAY

Announcement was made Friday that the Columbus Motor Speedway & Horse Racing Co., a half-million dollar combination speedway and race track concern, has been incorporated, with Col. J. Y. Bassell, manager of the Columbus Conventions and Publicity association, as its president and general manager.

The company has secured about 200 acres of land at Sullivant and Highland Aves., just three miles from the center of the city. Work will be commenced at once and races will be held there this summer.

The project is the first combination motor and running track in the world, those behind the project say. The motor track will be two miles in length and will be built of most modern construction with much the same shape as the famous speedway at Indianapolis.

A mile course for running horses patterned after the Latonia track, will be constructed inside the motor speedway. This track will be a mile in length. It is planned to hold a 500-mile auto race meet, and one or more for shorter distances each year.



CYCLONE INSURANCE

See PINE

PHONE 5381

ASKS FOR TRANSFER OF TOWNSHIP FUNDS

In common pleas court, Wednesday morning, Maddox & Maddox representing the Union Township trustees, filed a petition asking for the transfer of certain funds.

Transfer of \$1275 from the general fund to the road fund; \$125 from the General Fund to the hawk bounty fund and \$1,000 from the bridge fund to the poor fund, is asked.

It is claimed that the extraordinary amount of road building in the township makes it necessary to use more funds, and that the payment of bounties on hawk heads requires a fund. Also that the cost of commodities for the infirmary and for poor relief has increased so greatly that it is necessary to provide the additional amount.

C. H. Brownell & Sons are running a battery of incubators. Take your eggs to them; they will incubate them for three cents per egg. 54 tf

BALED HAY FOR SALE

At my barn on Washington Avenue Good mixed feeding hay sold by the bale. H. R. Rodecker.

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Do you want to put your furs and winter clothing away safely, so that you will know that when you take them out next fall they will be in good shape? Then use Killo. Cover the articles thickly with Killo. It is easily brushed out and will not injure the most delicate fabric.

Place Killo on the shelves and floor of your closets, make cheese cloth bags and hang them on the hangers under your clothing it will leave no bad odor.

Use Killo and you will not be troubled with moths. Price 15c and 25c per can. Ask your grocer for it. Manufactured by

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mary Rankin, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Ulysses G. Rankin has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of Mary Rankin, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1917.

RELI G. ALLEN, Judge of the Probate Court, No. 1981. Fayette County, Ohio.

In the Probate Court of Fayette County, Ohio.

The State of Ohio, Fayette County, ss. To whom it may concern:—

Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said Court.

By Executors of

1554 Samuel Morris
1583 Oliver Horney
1898 James W. Willis
1935 John L. Persinger

By Guardians of

1017 Dana F. Zimmerman

All persons interested in said Accounts or Trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 14th day of April, 1917, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the Court may designate.

RELI G. ALLEN, Probate Judge.

March 8th, 1917.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—April 1st, 8 room modern house. Hitchcock and Dalbey. 67 tf

FOR RENT—2 six room houses—good location, Automatic phone 3851, Bell 368-R. J. E. White. 67 tf

FOR RENT—6 room house, Eastern Ave. Call Bell phone 484-R. 67 tf

FOR RENT—Six room modern house on Market St. Also five room house S. North St., C. F. Gardner. 67 tf

FOR RENT—Modern house on Washington Avenue. Grant Hays. 66tf

FOR RENT—Half of double house rooms Delaware street. See W. A. auders. 66 tf

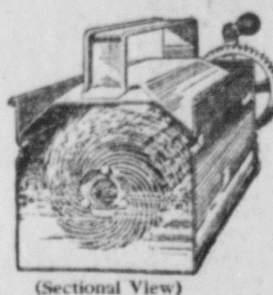
FOR RENT—Seven acres, house and barn, 2 1/2 miles out on Lewis pike. Samuel Minshall. 65 tf

FOR RENT—6 room house, Washington Avenue, call Pete Hearn. 65 tf

FOR RENT—7 room House on Lakeview Ave. Millwood; gas, water and large garden; also barn vacant after April 1. Mrs. T. D. Relly 64 17th Ave. Columbus, O. 60 tf

FOR RENT—5 room house, central-

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(Sectional View)

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Wouldn't it be a pleasure to have the only Separator whose bowl can be washed clean, sterilized and dried in less than five minutes?

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FOR RENT—Five room house, call Mrs. N. A. Taylor. 43 tf

FOR RENT—Modern room with all conveniences; central; gentleman preferred. 228 E. Market street, next to Hodson Hospital. 42 tf

FOR RENT—Down goes the rent! Six room house Harrison St. \$7.50; 3 room house John street, F. C. Mayer, Arcade Barber Shop, Automatic 6661. 39 tf

FOR RENT—One five and one four room house, Mrs. Stoddard, 401 E. Paint St. 21 tf

FOR RENT — One half double house on Elm St., gas and water. Call 2771 automatic. 299tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—We ask all interested in Sears-Nichols Canning Company n per cent, tax free, preferred stock to see us soon, as it is selling rapidly—\$100 shares at par. This Company as 11 canning factories—one in Washington C. H. We are also offering serial sinking fund preferred stock of the Maynard Coal Company, Columbus, a long-established and prosperous concern, tax-free and netting about seven per cent. Either stock should appeal to careful investors. Why hold 4, 5 and 6 per cent securities when you can get 7 per cent net? Hitchcock and Dalbey, both phones, Cockerill building. 65 tf

FOR SALE—Monroe roadster, electric lights and starter, \$250. Call at White Tile Meat Market. 68 tf

FOR SALE—Three 3 year old and two 2 year old Percheron Geldings. Hugh K. Stewart estate. 68 tf

FOR SALE — Oak bed, dresser, wash-stand, chiffonier and bookcase, white iron bed with box mattress. Call Automatic phone 7031. 68 tf

FOR SALE—Pheasant buggy good condition, Bachert make. May Swartz N. North street, Automatic 6913. 68 tf

FOR SALE—Rubber tire phaeton, harness, furniture, clothing. Call Automatic 3533. 68 tf

FOR SALE—5 room house and lot, Millwood. Call at Odd Barber Shop. 68 tf

FOR SALE — Timothy seed and White Belgian seed Oats, Benton Garlinger, both phones. 67 t26

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good serviceable Chalmers touring car, inquire at Larrimer Laundry. 65 tf

FOR SALE—Good farm mares and 3 or 4 span of mules for farm purpose. Call Green & Patterson. 65 tf

FOR SALE—2 small properties in Millwood. Always rented. Will pay 11 per cent of sale price. See Jay G. Williams. 67 tf

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red Cockerills and eggs for hatching. Bell phone 431-R. 67 t10

FOR SALE — Barred Plymouth locks eggs fifteen 75cents, hundred 4.00. Mrs. Lawson Stuckey, Bell hone 211-W-5 R. 2. 65 t52

FOR SALE—For the hauling, several loads of good dirt, Chas. U. Armstrong. 65 t6

FOR SALE—Quite a number of nice homes for sale at bargain prices; located on different streets. One nice piece on S. Hinde street, cheap of sold soon. Also ten acres with good buildings, will sell or trade for farm. Call automatic 7832 or Bell 604-W. Mrs. N. Merriweather. 65 t6

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Red eggs, and baby chicks. Mrs. Beryl Cayne. Both phones. 65 t26

WANTED.

WANTED — Girl, experienced for general housework, apply at once to Mrs. Harry Rodecker, Washington Avenue. 67 t6

WANTED—Remember to call Bell phone 398-W to have your curtains and laundry work done. 66 t6

WANTED—Poultry and eggs; highest cash price. For sale Buff Orpington eggs 75c for 15. Armstrong's Grocery, Oak and Harrison streets, Bell phone 453-R. 66 t6

WANTED—To rent six or seven room modern house, April 1st. Call Bell phone 145-W. 65 t6

WANTED — Single man to work on farm. Call Automatic 12332. 64 t6

WANTED — Woman wants days work or washing to do. Call Bell phone No. 222-W. 65 t5

WANTED—Small house or three rooms with all modern conveniences, suitable for light house keeping. C. F. Ballard. 60 tf

Old False Teeth Wanted. Don't matter if broken. I pay one to ten dollars per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. MAZER, 2007 S. 5th St. Philadelphia, Pa. 60 t25

WANTED—Man to work on farm and wife to assist with housework etc. address E. M. care Herald office or call Automatic 12582. 51 tf

MONEY Loaned on live stock, chattels and second mortgages. Notes bought. John Harbline, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 254 tapt27

YOUR FURNITURE — Refurnished in French Gray, Old Ivory, Mission, or to match your hangings. Upholstering and repolishing. For estimates and samples see Haynes Furniture Company.

WANTED—To buy your old featherbeds. Haynes Furniture Company. 185 d

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Brown Satin Hand Bag containing \$10 bill, Tuesday night between High School and my residence on S. Fayette Street. Finder call on Rose Hughey, Auto. 6831. Reward 683

LOST—Gold cuff button, initial "B." Reward. C. P. Ballard. 53 tf